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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Leng Art Unit: 1652
Application No.: 09/619,047 Examiner: Pak, Y.
Filed: July 19, 2000
Title: PROTEASE SPECIFIC CLEAVABLE LUCIFERASES AND
METHODS OF USE THEREOF

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed on July 27, 2001.

The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response to November 27, 2001.

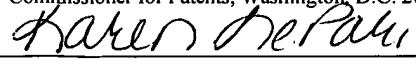
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$55.00 for the one-month petition for extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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